

**UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**  
**Trademark Trial and Appeal Board**  
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In re Alexandria Real  
Estate Equities,  
Inc.

Serial No. 75/982,917

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On December 20, 2002 applicant, in response to the Board's November 26, 2002 action submitted an additional \$200 appeal fee. Accordingly, the appeal is instituted with respect to all three classes in the application.

With its notice of appeal (and request to divide) filed August 7, 2002, applicant submitted a request for reconsideration. This paper requires consideration by the Examining Attorney. Accordingly, proceedings in the appeal are suspended, and the application is remanded to the Trademark Examining Attorney for consideration of the request for reconsideration.

If registrability is found on the basis of this paper, the appeal will be moot. If the refusal of registration is

maintained, the Examining Attorney should issue an Office action to that effect, and return the file to the Board.<sup>1</sup> Proceedings in the appeal will then be resumed, and applicant will be allowed time in which to file its appeal brief.

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<sup>1</sup> It is noted that, due to an Office error in dividing the application, the Examining Attorney considered the request for reconsideration with respect to parent application Serial No. 76/187,873. However, because each application must be complete in itself, if the Examining Attorney wishes to make of record evidence or arguments that were submitted in connection with the other file, the Examining Attorney must submit such evidence and arguments in any action issued in the subject application file.